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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Chin et al.

Confirmation No.: 4508

Serial No. 10/606,258

Art Unit: 2171

Filing Date: June 24, 2003

Examiner: Usmaan Saëed

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
MANUFACTURING INTEGRATED  
CIRCUITS MEETING SPECIAL  
CUSTOMER REQUIREMENTS WITH  
MULTIPLE SUBCONTRACTORS IN  
REMOTE LOCATIONS

Attorney Docket No: 060889-0082-US

**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO  
OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 17, 2006**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2006, thus extending the due date for filing the enclosed Amendment from June 17, 2006 to August 17, 2006. The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$450.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for all required fees for this reply and any further reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for such purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 17, 2006

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